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Subject: Re: N Targ call

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Thanks Jim. Your response is very helpful. And Helen has been great working with us on this. Our attorney reached out to Nicholas yesterday. I'll plan to talk with him on Monday.

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From: Woolford, James

Sent: Friday, March 15, 2013 11:04:39 AM

To: DIAMOND, JANE; Lindsay, Nancy; Clark, Becki; Dawson, Helen

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Subject: N Targ call

Nicholas called me to inform me that the PRPs had just received new information from R 9 ORC (I think) about MEW regarding action levels etc. Going from 15 to 5 for commercial. He went down a long path about regional inconsistency, the lack of national direction etc.

Finally cut him off to say R 9 has been working with us and they are acting in accordance with direction we will be sending to the Region soon. I then got the "do you know what this means for South Bay?" Question. He posited massive numbers of relocation and liability concerns for his client. Told him I was not in a position to comment on any particular actions but given what we got from ORD in its risk assessment we wld be remiss in our responsibility to protect the public is we did nothing.

Also told him we were trying to get our guidance finalized in 3 or so weeks.

I think he is going to likely to back to R 9.